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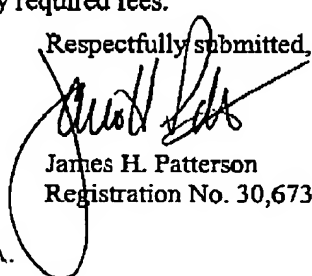
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For: METHOD FOR TWO-LEVEL VARIABLE CHIP RATE SPREADING AND  
DESPREADING USED IN CDMA SYSTEMPETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE  
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